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price, \$25. SHAKSPEARE. 6 v. \$3; price, \$10. Same, 4 v. \$8: price, \$12. FLETCHER'S DEVOTIONAL BIBLE. \$20; price. \$40. WASHINGTON'S WRITINGS. 12 v. \$12; price. \$36. BENTON'S DEBATES. 16 v. \$30; price, \$80.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON FIRE DEPARTMENT, RICHMOND, March 1, 1877. OTICE TO FEED-DEALERS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Council chamber, on Broad street between Kinth and Tenth streets, until 12% o'clock on FRIDAY, March 2d, for furnishing the horses in this department of the city with FEED, PROVENDER, &C., and also with STRAW, for the term of three months.

The Committee on the Fire Department reserve the right to reject any or all proposals offered, and of riving the contract for each article required to the lowest bidder therefor. Address.

Mh 1-2t JOHN J. KING, Chairman.

In accordance with above aunouncement, I will close the business of the late firm with as much expedition as possible. Settlements of accountia must be promptly made. The stock of CLOTHING and FURNISHING GOODS, amounting to over \$30.-000, at New York prices, will be offered for sale without any reference to cost. Purchasers of CLOTHING and FURNISHING GOODS, for present or future use, will do w-lite omnider this opportunity. The goods are offered positively without reserve, as it is my determination to wind up the business.

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RICHMOND, VA., FRIDAY MORNING. MARCH 2, 1877.

MAY'S, 607 Broad street. ST-THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH S LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCU-LATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS GENTLEMEN'S CALF SQUARE-TOE GAITERS. PAPERS OF THE CITY

WEATHER REPORT.

INDICATIONS FOR To-DAY .- For the South Atlantic States, increasing northeast to southeast winds, falling barometer, warmer, cloudy, and rainy weather, will

For the East Gulf States, southeast to southwest winds, warmer, cloudy, and rainy weather, with falling barometer, possibly followed by cooler northwest winds and clearing weather. For the West Gulf States, northwest

weather, with rising barometer. For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, falling barometer, northeast to southeast winds, warmer, cloudy, and rainy weather, For the Middle States, northeast to south-

east and possibly southwest winds, warmer, cloudy weather, and rising followed by fallng barometer. Cautionary signals are ordered for St.

Mark's and Jacksonville. THE WEATHER YESTERDAY WAS clear, mild, and pleasant. Last night it was cooler. THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 34 9 A. M., 42; noon, 60; 3 P. M., 63; 6 P. M., 60; midnight, 57.

LOCAL MATTERS.

ST. PATRICE'S DAY-A NEW CHIEF MAR-SHAL ELECTED .- The convention of delegates from the Catholic societies of Richmond to arrange for celebrating St. Patrick's day assembled last night at Cathedral Hall, in response to the call of the president, Mr. R. E. English. Upon the call of the roll it was ascertained that a full meeting was present, only four delegates being ab-

sent The president stated that he had unexadelphia make. Gentlemen's, Boys', and Youth's Boots and Shoes, all prices. Répairing neatly and promptly done at W. P. W. TAYLOR'S. Fourth and Broad streets. REMOVAL.—Having removed

to our retail department to No. 1000
(Shafer building), corner Main and Tenth streets, we beg leave to inform our friends and the public that we will keep constantly on hand a complete assortment of Ladles', Misses', Children's, Boys', Youths', and Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes; also, Trunks, Shawl-Straps, &c. A call solicited.

Messrs. J. P. HEATH (late with Putney & Watts and V. S. CARLTON are with us and will be pleased to see their friends. stances had arisen which would interfere, to manage the collection of the taxes, just as so far as he was concerned, with the suc- it is proposed to secure six to manage the cess of the demonstration, and that the demands upon his time were of such a char- power, too, and select six worthy gentleacter as to make it impossible for him to men to attend to this branch of the city devote the proper attention to it. At the conclusion of the reading of the

epted.

elected by an overwhelming majority. they had seen fit to confer upon him, and held responsible to the Council. pledged himself to use his best efforts to make the celebration entirely successful. Several delegates spoke briefly but to the under the control of the Council. point, urging concerted and harmonious acticipants. The speakers were warmly ap- and under their control. plauded, and to judge from the enthusiasm

THE WHISKEY PUNCH .- The Moffett whiskey-punch bill was put upon its engrossment in the House yesterday and defeated. SEED-POTATOES AND OATS, AND Conservatives and 11 Republicans. All the with justructions to report as soon as pos-Richmond delegates, and indeed nearly all of the representatives of cities, voted against Mr. Todd opposed the motion to recomretail liquor trade. The vote by which the bill was defeated was subsequently reconsidered, and the Moffett bill and all competing propositions were ordered to be referred to a special committee of nine.

Adjourned sine die.

State Committee at the meeting held on Wednesday authorizing the chairman only to endorse applications for office that are supported by the recommendations of the applicant's county or city and district comrates, and issues policies for three or five years at

A strong, prompt-paying Virginia company, its policies are as good as any home, northern, or English company. Senator Edgar Allan will be urged by friends for appointment to the position of of Westmoreland, now holds the place. It is a comfortable retreat, worth three or four thousand dollars per annum.

CENTABL LUNATIC ASYLUM .- The Senate CENTARL LUNATIC ASYLUM.—The Senate westerday approved and sent to the House either plan. He didn't want to shoulder he report of the commissioners selecting D. SURANCE AGENTS, 1014 MAIN STREET.
RICHMOND, VA., representing the
NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, of London and Edinburgh location of the Central (colored) Lunatic favored delay. SURANCE COMPANY, of London and Edinburgh Capital, \$10,000.000 fold.

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Losses equitably adjusted and promptly paid at als agency. Applications solicited, and immediat als agency. Applications solicited, and immediat Asylum. Richmond could have easily secured the prize had she really tried for it. Dr. Cabell, the president of the Board of Visitors, states that the institution expends in our midst \$50,000 annually, and that the new buildings will cost \$125,000.

CONTRACT AWARDED .- The Council Committee on Light met yesterday afternoon, and awarded the contract for furnishing coal for the ensuing year to Frederick Faulkner & Co., of the Coal Valley Coal Company, at \$1.05 per long ton. To the Tredegar Company was awarded the contract for furnishing iron furnaces at 2 cents per pound, and to Messrs. Archer & Goodwin the contract for furnishing bolts at 44 cents per pound. The lar.

NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL.-Some of the firemen desire it stated that the damage caused by water at Rev. Mr. Michelbacher's day before yesterday was not their fault, if any damage was done. When they reached and WHITE CHINA DINNER- and TEA-WARE at popular prices, E. B. TAYLOR, ja 3 No. 1011 Main street. the house, although very prompt, the fire DATED-WARE.

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GEORGE GIBSON, JE..

Successor to James W. Gibson, de 15.2 mm

ARREST. - Archer Jasper (colored), who give up their per diem at present. was in June last indicted by the grand jury ever since, was arrested in Powhatan county last Tuesday by Deputy-Sheriff John W. Talley, of Henrico county, under a benchwarrant issued by his Honor Judge E. C.

write to reject any or all proposals offered, and first of the contract for each article required to the lower formulation of the lower formulatio accomplices, who will no doubt be arrested.

Johnson in the Chesapeake and Ohie canal settlement, is in the city.

BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS. | sist of the Mayor and six citizens; Unsuccessful Effort of the Aldermon to Perfect the Proposed Amendment to the Charter.

THE COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES-COM-PETING PROPOSITIONS - THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT AS IT STOOD AT ADJUUEN-MENT OF THE BOARD—A TIE VOTE.

Pursuant to a call signed by Mesurs. harles L. Todd, L. L. Bass, and Z. W. ickrell, a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held yesterday afternoon at bo'clock in the Council chamber—President A. Meredith in the chair. Present : Messrs. Bass, Cannon, Crump, Forrester, Gray, Lipscomb, Manly, Pickrell, Smith, Spangenburg, Todd, and Zimmer.

The object of the meeting was explained

y Mr. Pickrell to be the consideration of the joint resolution requesting the Legislawinds, cooler, partly cloudy or clearing ture to amend the city charter in reference THE BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS OF THE

CITY. Mr. Bass said that so far as the committee was concerned the proposed resolution was a compromise. It was, however, agreed on all hands that some change was necessary in the police system of the city.

Mr. Todd inquired of the Chair whether the present Board of Police Commissioners had authority to send for persons and papers, and examine witnesses under oath. The Chair said that his impression was that the Board did not have such power. Mr. Todd then presented an amendment to require the Board to send for persons and papers, and, in case of an investigation, to examine witnesses under oath; which was

agreed to.

Mr. Gray demanded the pending question, as it appeared that there were no further amendments. Mr. Cannon said he hoped that such would

not be the case. He would be compelled to

vote against the resolution unless its objectionable features were amended. Mr. Meredith (Mr. Bass being in the chair) addressed the Board in opposition to the resolution. He was opposed to nearly every feature in it. If it was desired to keep the policemen out of politics this repectedly been compelled to reconvene the solution would not have the effect. The body in consequence of a letter which he fact is, it is saying that the Council has not had received from Mr. John M. Higgins, the power to manage the police force. It is elected chief marshal at the meeting of last abrogating the power of three judges. Thursday, in which that gentleman stated that he had reconsidered his acceptance of should strip itself of this power. If the position, and begged leave to decline the Council cannot manage the police dethe honor, giving as his reasons that circum- partment, then they ought to get six men

government also? Mr. Meredith said he would like to see letter Mr. Higgins's resignation was 'ac- the resolution amended so as to provide that the Board shall consist of eight persons-Several gentlemen were then placed in the Mayor of the city and seven othersnomination, but it was evident upon the four to be selected in July every two years session assembled. If any such citifirst ballot that with but one exception the from the Common Council, and three from zen member shall die, resign, remove and with money in hand secure them. Kate

inasmuch as Mr. William Rankin was Mr. Todd's proposition. Mr. Manly asked Mr. Meredith what sort

to the platform the newly-elected chief mar- was no provision in the charter under which shal thanked the convention for the honor the Board of Police Commissioners were Mr. Pickrell asserted that under the proposed resolution the Board was practically

Mr. Cannon opposed many of the views tion on the part of all the societies in order suggested by Mr. Meredith. He thought that, despite the depressing times and other there should be some change in the mode of unfavorable circumstances which might appointing the police force, and its managetend to affect the celebration, it might be ment. He believed the Police Commissionsuch a one as to reflect credit upon the par- ers ought to be appointed by the Council,

Mr. Cannon moved to amend by adding of the convention the demonstration of the at the close of the resolution a section al coming 17th of March is an assured success. lowing a person who feels aggrieved by the decision of the Board to appeal to the Council within thirty days after said decision. Mr. Cannon thought the Board was hardly ready to vote on the proposition this evening. He thought it would be well to com-There were in favor of it 45 Conservatives mit the resolution and the several amend-

sible. it on account of what they considered mit. He thought it was a subject of cononerous burdens put upon the wholesale and gratulation that the Committee on Ordinances had prepared the resolution now under consideration, and he would be willing to vote for it just as they had presented into three classes, to be styled the first, it. He did not think the Board-that is, the system-should be composed of political aspirants. He did not object to the charac-RADICAL ENDORSEMENTS FOR OFFICE.-A ter of the gentlemen composing the Board resolution was passed by the Republican now. He had great respect for them, and 1879; and that of the third class was not finding any fault with them. He on the 1st day of July, 1880. And this althen enumerated the various features of the ternation shall thereafter continue by classes. resolution which met his approval.

Mr. Zimmer thought that the City Council ought not to give up the power to select the policemen and manage its affairs. He was opposed to the entire resolution.

In order to test the sense of the body, consul at Bradford, England. Dr. Douglas, Mr. Meredith moved to strike out all that of the whole Board upon charges and speportion of the resolution requiring the citications made and proved before it for three judges to nominate three persons from each ward, from which the Council can select one from each ward.

Petersburg as the place for the permanent did he want to give it up to the judges. He Mr. Smith thought the people had enough

confidence in the Council for them to make of either branch of the Council be held the selection. Mr. Scott wanted delay.

On the question of agreeing to the motion to strike out the three judges the ayes and noes were taken, and resulted as follows: AYES,—Messrs. Cannon, Lipscomb, Scott, Smith, Spangenburg, Zimmer, Merudith—7. NOES.—Messrs. Bass. Crump, Gray, Manly, Pick-rell, Todd, Wagner—7. The Chair decided that the motion to

strike out was lost. Mr. Cannon's amendment was then adopt-Mr. Manly moved to change the term of service to two years. Lost. Mr. Smith moved to lay on the table.

Lost—ayes, 4; noes, 10. Mr. Smith moved to adjourn. Lost. Mr. Smith said he wanted further time to consider the subject. As to the Legislature adjourning soon, he would be willing to bet large odds that they would not adjourn for some months. Business was pretty dull in the country, and he did not think they would

The question was then taken on the resothat a committee of five be appointed to consider the whole subject. The Chair appointed Messrs. Meredith,

Scott, Cannon, Manly, and Pickrell. Minor. He was examined vesterday by Mr. Todd moved to amend so as to pro Justice Larus, and committed for trial at vide that the Board shall consist of the the next term of the County Court. His Mayor of the city and forty-eight other per-

taken into custody. He had two or three curring), That our senators and delegates vantage, while the soloists, both basso and

fuel will be issued by the city to the poor. commissioners thereof, who shall con- could demand.

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one of the citizens to be a resident of in the following cases: Saunders us. Page each of the six wards of the city. The Greanor's executor us, Greanor, &c.; John Mayor shall be ex officio the president son, &c., vs. same; Hankins vs. Wilson, of the Board, and preside at its meetings, but &c.; Wannamacher & Co. vs. Crew, &c.; shall only have a vote in case of a tie vote, ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BODY LAST when he shall have the casting vote. In same; Cullinworth vs. Cullinworth. EVENING-THE PLAN AS PROPOSED BY his absence the other inembers may elect a president to act pro tempore. The six citizen members shall be elected in the month of July by the two branches of the City Council in the following manner-viz, : At least two days before the joint meeting of the Coun-cil for such election, of which notice shall the given by the city clerk to the judges of the Chancery, Circuit, and Hustings Courts of the city, the said judges, or at least two of them, shall select and nominate to the sent to jail for four months. Council three persons from each of the six wards of the city, who shall be voters, freeholders, and have resided in said city at three kegs of butter from P. G. Harrison. least two years previous to such nomination, and shall not hold any office-Federal, State, or municipal—or be a candidate for any such office.

From the eighteen names thus sent in to

the Council by the judges, the Council

shall proceed to elect six, one to be a rest-

deut of each ward, in the mode that other

son shall be declared elected who shall not

Council; and in case there is no election, or

icers are elected, except that no per-

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nomination thus made by the judges, they shall immediately name three other persons graces the Mozart with her presence. She from the ward or wards in which the vacancy or vacancies exist, until the said Trovatore," and that lovely song of Schu-Board is filled by the Council by an election in the manner above described. The Mayor, as president, with the six citizens thus elected, shall constitute the Board of Police Commissioners for the city of Richmond. Any four of said commissioners shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business. Said Board may adopt nich, John Reinhardt, Thilow, and Jacob rules and by-laws for the government Reinhardt, though in the latter piece there thereof, and may also establish, promulgate, and enforce proper rules, regulations, and orders for the good government and discipline of the police force, and shall have the power, in investigating any charge against policeman or officer of the force, or in the investigation of any matter over which the Board has control, to send for persons and papers, compel the attendance of witnesses, and examine them under oath: provided that said rules, regulations, and orders shall not in any way conflict with any ordinance of the City Council, or of the provisions of this act, or of the Constitution and laws of this State or the United States. The said citizens who are elected commissioners from Clay, Madison, and Marshall wards, shall hold their offices for two years under the first election under this act, and for three years under every election held therepolicemen. Why not take away the taxing after. Those from Monroe, Jackson, and Jefferson wards shall hold their offices for to give satisfaction. three years under each election. The said citizens may be removed at any time by a gramme. vote of two thirds of the whole Council elected, for good cause, upon proper charges and specifications made and proved before said Council in joint nominations were intended as compliments, the Board of Aldermen. He approved of from the ward from which he was elected, or be a candidate for any office-Federal. Mr. Rankin's election was, on motion of of control the Council had over the Board one of the gentlemen so complimented, of Police Commissioners.

State, or municipal—there shall be at once a vacancy in said Board, which shall be filled by three judges nominating three other State, or municipal—there shall be at once made unanimous; and upon being escorted

Mr. Meredith said that at present there persons from the ward or words in which such vacancy or vacancies shall exist; from which names the Council shall at once fill such vacancy or vacancies, as before pro- of Police was the principal source of reporvided by this act, until the next regular torial excitement in our city. The equine election of such commissioners.

Section 86. It shall be the duty of said police commissioners to select from among the electors of said city, and appoint by warrant of appointment, bearing the signatures of the Mayor and at least four others of said commissioners, to be immediately filed with the city clerk, so many policemen, officers of police, and patrolmen as shall be authorized by the City Council; and said Board shall appoint, with the approval of the Council, one chief of police, who shall hold office for the term of two years, through whom said Board may promulgate all rules, regulations, and orders to the whole force, and life insurance to compare its form of application, its who shall have immediate direction and and 7 Republicans—total, 52; against it 52 ments to the Committee on Ordinances, all times to the rules, regulations, and orders of the Board and the orders of the Mayor, provided that the orders of the Mayor do do not conflict with the rules, regulations, or orders of the said Board then in force; and the said Board shall proceed immediately upon its organization to divide the said policemen, officers of police, and patrolmen second, and third classes. The terms of service of the first class shall expire on the 1st day of July, 1878; that of the second class on the 1st day of July, according to its number, so that one-third of the police force of the city shall be chosen every year; provided that said chief, officers of police, policemen, and patrolmen may be removed at any time for misconduct or neglect of duty by a vote of the majority incompetency, if such shall appear to such

majority.
And in all cases where any person shall feel aggrieved by any decision of said Board, an appeal may be taken to the the responsibility upon the Council, nor City Council by petition addressed to either branch of the City Council, such petition to be presented within thirty days after the decision complained of, if a regular meeting within said thirty days; but if no such meeting be held within thirty days, then such right of appeal shall continue until the first regular meeting of either branch of the Council which may be held after such decision complained of.

This act shall be in force from the 1st day of July, 1877. Adjourned.

CATAWBA'S NEXT LECTURE.-Mr. J. P. Catawba will lecture for the benefit of the Konservative Kampaign Klub on Monday evening next at Association Hall. He will be introduced by a man who didn't care to go to the inauguration, and will himself be inaugurated by the members of the Klub. He will have a full house, as this is the Len ten season, and Catawba is a peculiarly lenten individual. Police!

LADIES' FEAST AT TRINITY CHURCH.-The ladies of this church bave determined to hold a feast in the lecture-room of the church, commencing Tuesday night next, of Henrico County Court for cutting Henry lution and it was rejected—ayes, 7; noes, 7. on which occasion they will oner their Brown (colored), and who has been at large On motion of Mr. Cannon it was ordered friends such a treat as will make their on which occasion they will offer their hearts glad and open their purse strings. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the church.

ENTERTAINMENT AT DR. HOGE'S CHURCH .-To-night Dr. W. H. Taylor will give an exhibition in the lecture-room of Dr. Hoge's church for the benefit of one of the societies

taken into custody. He had two or three accomplices, who will no doubt be arrested. In the General Assembly of Virginia be and they are hereby requested to procure an amendment of the charter of the city so as sociated with General Bradley T.

Johnson in the Chesapeake and Ohie canal Settlement, is in the city.

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Beveridge us. Waldrop, &c.; same, &c., vs. POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY.—Charles Madison, an old-timer, was up again yesterday morning on the old charge of being drunk

and was sent to fall for ten days. The case of Milton Bosher (colored), charged with felonious assault, was contin-

The case of Abram Clark and Francis Morris (colored), charged with stealing was continued until Saturday.

THE MOZART. - A very large andience was resent at the Mozart musicate last evening : indeed, the ball was uncomfortably packed and became oppressively warm. The programme was admirably selected, and, we may add, delightfully short. The announcement of it yesterday so doubt accounts for the great crowd, the principle feature of atreceive a majority of the votes of all the traction being the fact that Miss Alice members elected to both branches of the Swain would sing. And be it said in praise of that lady's unquestionable abilities that those elected decline to act under the first she never fails to draw a most flattering and appreciative audience whenever she sang "D'Amor Sull Ali Rose," from "Il bert's-"Who is Sylvia?"-in her usual style, which is exceedingly graceful and

lmost faultless. Mr. Kessnich's violin solo, fantasia from Lombardy," by Singelli, was well given, as was also the string quartette, "Andante," Opus 5, by Haydn, played by Messrs. Kesswas at times a slight weakness and want of accord observable. The orchestra played acceptably the

'Pique Dame" overture, "Farewell Meditation," and "Recollections of Weisbaden waltzes. The "Pique Dame" overture, however, we have heard them give better and with more expression. Haydn's "Farewell Symphony," which

is a fitting ending for an entertainment of the kind, concluded the programme last evening, and was greatly enjoyed. THE THEATRE-JOHN E. OWENS-MISS KATE CLAXTON.—There was quite a good

audience at the Theatre last night to witness the presentation of The Rivals, with John E. Owens as Bob Acres. Owens is a charming old fellow and never fails to please, and was last night the life of the piece. Miss Ella Wren as Mrs. Malaprop seemed To-night the Heir at Law is on the pro-

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